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In re Application of  
Evans et al.  
Application No. 10/074,959  
Filed: February 12, 2002  
Attorney Docket No. SPEC-6150  
Title of Invention: MULTI-USE  
SURGICAL CEMENT DISPENSER  
APPARATUS AND KIT FOR SAME

OFFICE OF PETITIONS  
DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b), filed February 19, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

This above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a response to a Notice to file Missing Parts of a Nonprovisional Application which was mailed on March 7, 2002. The Notice to File Missing Parts set an extendable two (2) month period for reply. No timely request for extensions of time were obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a). Accordingly, this application became abandoned on May 8, 2002. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on January 13, 2004.

The requirements for a grantable petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b) have been met. This petition is hereby **Granted**.

Pursuant to petitioner's request deposit account 01-0485 has been charged the \$1330.00 petition fee and the \$130.00 surcharge for late filing of a fee or declaration.

The Office acknowledges receipt of the declaration.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing of the application.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-0251.

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